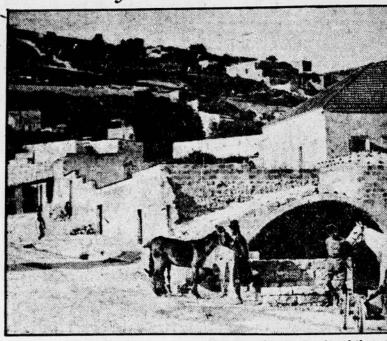
Samaritan Race Dwindles Down Until Only 156 Members Survive



Claim Temple Bible Written 13 Years After Moses.

Revise Views as to Other People Entering Heaven.

BY JUNIUS B. WOOD. crespondence of The Star and Chicago Daily News.) ABLUS, Palestine, June 20.-Never aving seen any bona fide Samaritans, I motored over the parched. rock-strewn hills from Jerusalem today to see all that remains of the powerful race sent from Babylon wenty-five centuries ago to populate the Holy Land. I elicited the information that today there are only 156 Samaritans-men, women and iren. The high priest said that the war fifty were conscripted

and that they alone are privileged to enter the kingdom of heaven. Since recently the Samaritans have learned that there are several million other persons in the world—the high priest nas made three trips to London; they now agree that the worthy in the rest

Mary's well, near the site of the car-penter shop at Nazareth.



Women still draw water from the well that was used by Mary of Naza-reth, but the tin oil can as a con-tainer is replacing the earthen pot.

by the Turks and never returned. He was insistent, too, that the tribe was increasing, rather than dying out, since it had only sixty members 200 years ago.

The Samaritans assert that they are the real Jews, the only chosen people, and that they alone are privileged to the kingdom of heaven. Since tans have two Boles, one a comparatively modern work, which they prefer to exhibit to be pawed over by
casual visitors. The one I saw was
in a round brass case, opening on two
hinges, bound in green brocade and
rolling on two sticks mounted with
large brass bandles. The decturer of the world may enter paradise as their servitors. Being good to them in this world is the chief requisite for a menial job.

Lecture on the Roof.

The Samaritan high priest, Jacob Aaron, and his brother Isaac, both dissinguished by the Samaritan purple turbans and the latter by the most luxuriant crop of whiskers in Palestine, were at the hotel before I had finished lunch. They were ready to

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By a tradition which has usually been accepted without examination, Paris is "the home of joy"



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London is "dull."
England has long suffered from this tradition. The American tourist has too often pur-chased his steam-er ticket direct to Paris, and forgot-ten all about Lon-don. London thinks this should thinks this should thinks this should be corrected. Your Londoner will never admit that London is "dull," "Paris, of course, for a pleasant holiday," he says, olid pleasure." Yet understand that the

"but London for solid pleasure." Yet he has begun to understand that the visitor who arrives in London for the first time may be forgiven if the city seems to him cheerless. Hotels Are Co-Operating.

So the committee has undertaken, first, to make London "brighter" for the

STATUE 2,000 YEARS OLD **FOUND UNDER WATER PIPE**

"Pure Greek" Buried Thirty-Eight

Years at Samuel Untermyer's Country Place.

YONKERS, N. Y., July 22.-Buried three feet below a water main which had not been disturbed since it was laid, thirty-eight years ago, workmen have found a statue, declared to

roken off.
The head was found first, Later the of \$4,000,009,00%

leans guest privileges in some of the best clubs. Through the tactful mediatorship of the central committee, Americans of standing in their own communities, their presence having been made known by the hotel proprietor, find themselves the recipient of guest cards for which many a worthy Londoner sighs in vain. If the scheme comes to fruition, as the committee expects, the American will surely have to revise his prejudice concerning the "cold reserve" of the Britisher.

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ministrations is yet to be proved, under-takes to represent the visitor in any complaint he may have against his hotel. Through the efforts of this central office the drinking hours have been lengthened and special privileges have been granted to hotel guests. Though the bars close at 11 p.m., one may have wine with one; support 10, to 12, 20, and

wine with one's supper up to 12:30 and

Perhaps the most surprising part of the effort to make London bright is that which aims to extend to visiting Amer-

icans guest privileges in some of the best clubs. Through the tactful media-

therefore, however, it issues certain charming bits of poetry to the effect that "London is like a pretty woman. She has her moods; she weeps when you least expect it and then smiles through her terrs, but you love her all the more for it."

left hand was found and still later the rest of the body, all intact. No theory for the presence of the statue has been advanced, either by the police or art experts who have

TAKES UP HOOVER PLAN.

Durgin to Explain Standardizing Dimensions to Lumbermen.

CHICAGO, July 22 .- Attitude of the government on the proposals of the Namen have found a statue, declared to be "pure Greek and 2,000 years old," at Greystone, Samuel Untermyer's country place.

Isidore Konti, sculptor, after a careful examination, declared that in his opinion the work not only was real Greek, but it was too good to have been done by any but a real master. The statue is of a woman and stands about four feet six inches without the head, which had been broken off.

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SUFFERING OF CHILDREN IN NEAR EAST DEPICTED

American Worker Says Millions Will Die if U. S. Relief Is Discontinued.

"I never realized that there is in he world so much suffering as I have seen out here during two years," concludes a message from George L. Gar side of Passaic, N. J., to Near East Relief officials here. Mr. Garside has arrived in Constantinople after a win-ter spent in piloting motor truck loads of relief supplies from Samsoun, Anatolia, into relief stations in the

Anatolia, into relief stations in the interior.

Mr. Garside was an eye-witness to the sufferings during the past few months of Greek deportes in Turkish nationalist territory, and mentions one incident on a trip, "in the bitterest kind of winter," of encountering a thousand Greek refugees, dressed in rags and without food or shoes of any description. They were directed to the nearest relief station. On the same trip, in the Tarus mountains, "where the wind and sleet cut our faces like a knife," Mr. Garside found an eight-year-old Greek girl, half clothed and starved. Wrapping her in his fur coat and giving her some food, he took her to a Near East Relief station and handed her over to the director.

"If the Americans pulled out," declared Mr. Garside, "this army of children would certainly perish."

Contributions are being received by "If the Americans pulled out," de-clared Mr. Garside, "this army of children would certainly perish."

John B. Larner, treasurer of the lo-cal Near East, at Room 316, Bond

REV. TROTTER DISCREET,

WITNESSES DECLARE

Defending Mission Head, Friends Testify Wife Labored Under Delusion.

By the Associated Press.

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich., July 22.—
Mrs. Lottie M. Trotter, wife of Rev.
Melvin E. Trotter, was laboring under
a delusion when she suspected her
husband of indiscretions, witnesses
for Rev. Trotter testified yesterday
in the opening defense in Mrs. Trotter's suit for separate maintenance.
Miss Tink Brummeler, formerly a
missionary in the City Rescue Mission,
of which Rev. Trotter was the head,
testified the minister had conducted
himself as a gentleman. She denied
Mrs. Trotter's allegation that Rev.
Trotter had subjected his wife to
harsh treatment. harsh treatment. Other witnesses said Mrs. Trotter's suspicions were unfounded.

MISSIONARIES IN CHINA REFUSE TO QUIT POSTS

U. S. Gunboat Sent to Rescue Americans and Canadians

Finds Them Safe. CANTON. China. United States gunboat Pampanga has returned from a dash up the West river to Wuchow, where an appeal for help had been made by eight American and Canadian missionaries sta-

tioned at Linchow The Pampanga brought back word that the missionaries were safe, and that they did not care to leave.

Many Churches.

The religious work department of the Y. M. C. A. will supply the following pulpits tomorrow: H street Christian Church, 11 a.m., Rev. S. M. Croft; 8 p.m., Rev. William S. Webb. Garden Memorial Church, Anacostia, D. C., 8 p.m., William A. Eisenberger, religious work secretary, Y. M. C. A. Davis McCahan, insurance expert of the United States Chamber of Commerce, will address the meeting at Comm. Letts the Y. M. C. A. Roys'.

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October 8. religious work secretary, Y. M. C. A.
Davis McCahan, insurance expert of
the United States Chamber of Commerce, will address the meeting at
Camp Letts, the Y. M. C. A. Boys'
camp on Rhodes river. This will also
be visitors' day at the camp.

MASS FOR LATE PASTOR. Rev. John R. Roth to Be Honor

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In memory of the late Rev. John R. Roth. pastor of St. Mary's Church, a month's mind solemn requiem mass will be sung Monday morning at 10 o'clock at the church. The officiating clergymen will be Rev. Charles J. Trinkaus, celebrant; Rev. A. Camp of Holy Cross Church. Baltimore, deacon, and Rev. Leo Otterbein of St. Joseph's Church of Fullerton, Md. will be subdeacon. The sermon will be preached by Mgr. C. F. Thomas of St. Patrick's Church.

600 AT CONFERENCE.

Delegates Start Sessions to Last Until July 29.

EAST NORTHFIELD, July 22.— More than 600 delegates are attend-ing the conference of religious edu-cation here, which lasts until July 29. This conference is the successor to the old Sunday school conferences, and is mainly made up of Sunday school leaders and workers.

OPEN-AIR SERVICES. Special open-air services are to be held at the headquarters of the Help-ers of the Hills, Incorporated, 1400 Rhode Island avenue northeast, next Friday, Saturday and Sunday

The world production of sugar is now estimated at 18,000,000 tons, which is about equally divided between cane and best sugar.

Latest Announcements of Church Activities

CHURCH IS SOLD

Presbyterian Congregation Accepts \$70,000 Offer for

service station. The congregation will continue to have its morning service in the church building until the details of the sale have been completed. The evening services are held in the basement of the new building at 16th and Newton streets, which was completed several months ago at a price of \$40,000.

The church has a membership of 900 and the new location has great promise of growth. The building committee, of which George Prevost is chairman, will proceed at once to secure bids for the new building. Rev. Bernard Braskamp, the pastor, will leave the city next week to spend his annual vacation with his parents in Iowa.

RACIAL UNDERSTANDING HELD HOPE OF NATION

Luther Place Memorial Pastor Tells of Spread of President's Suggestion and Co-Operation.

The gospel of a better understanding—theme of an address by Presi-dent Harding previous to the confer-ence on limitation of armament—is Dr. Albert Osborn of American Uning-theme of an address by Presience on limitation of armament-is spreading among the people of the black and white races in the south and north, says Rev. G. M. Diffen-derfer, pastor of the Luther Place Memorial Church, who adds that it is "the bright hope for the future se-curity of our nation." Atlanta, Ga., says the minister, has what is known as the Atlanta plan of interracial co-operation, composed of the Evangelical Ministers' Association and congregational and institutional organizations, the Y. M. C. A., the Y. W. C. A. and the Salvation Army. Out which has organized county and city interracial spread over many of the southern states. Their reports on rural prob-lems, tenantcy, housing, land, owner-ship, prison labor, domestic service and other problems are ful lof helpful

which will be held in Washington October 8.

Archdiocesan President P. J. Haltigan will give a report of his work during the past two months. Mr. Haltigan has officially extended invitations in person to the Holy Name unions of Philadelphia, Delaware and Virginia, where he has succeeded in arousing much enthusiasm over the Washington demonstration, so that thousands of participants will come from these places to march in the parade. He estimates that not less than 25.000 men and boys will march in the procession. the procession.

BIBLE SCHOOL TO CLOSE. Central Presbyterians to Show Handicraft Work.

daily vacation Bible school

The daily vacation Bible school, which has been in session at the Central Presbyterian Church, will hold its closing exercises next Friday. There will be a program in which the various departments will take part, showing the work that has been done in these several departments under a corps of about twenty teachers. There will be an exhibit of handireraft work which the members of the school have done.

During this period of work the children have had the advantage of the spacious playgrounds of the church, which adjoin the church property and which have been equipped with tennis courts, basket ball court, see-saws, slides, tether ball and a sand box, sixteen by ten feet, containing three tons of white ocean taining three tons of white ocean sand. While the school work has closed, the playground will be kept closed, the school on Friday morning Dr. James H. Taylor, the pastor of the Central Presbyterian Church, will preside.

A strike of Nova Scotia coal miners is threatened as a result of a dis-pute over wages.

GUNTON-TEMPLE MEMORIAL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IS SOLD FOR \$70,000.



TO LAST TEN DAYS

The annual camp meeting at Wash ngton Grove, Md., will begin August

Subcommittees Named. The following subcommittees have

been appointed Finance—G. H. Griffin, A. H. Sorg-enfrei, Clarence F. Welch, William Hunt enfrei, Clarence F. Welch, William Hunt and C. H. Becker.
Publicity—C. H. Becker, M. M. Browning, Robert McP. Milans, C. F. Welch and E. E. Cissell.
Music—M. M. Browning, T. L. Mc-Cathran, Chas. E. Myers, director; Mrs J. B. Sappington and Miss Netta Craig.

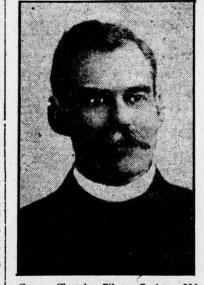
Mrs J. B. Sappington and Miss Netta Craig.

Boys' and girls' hour—Miss Dora F. Hendricks, Mrs. C. F. Welch, Mrs. G. H. Griffith, Mrs. Joe Brake, Mrs. M. M. Browning and Mrs. Paul Lynch.

Athletics—C. F. Welch, Stewart Seaton, Wayne Mills and William Watkins. Young people's meetings—Mrs. J. B. Sappington, Mrs. C. F. Welch, Miss Mabel E. Becker, Miss Elsie Sorgenfrei and John Lacey.

Hospitality—Mrs. Hunt, Mrs. G. H. Griffith, Miss Hell, Mrs. James Mount and Mrs. Albert Osborn.

Speakers Prominent.



Grace Church, Silver Spring, Md., parish, will celebrate tomorrow, the first anniversary of the rectorship of Rev. Dr. J. Henning Nelms. Special music will be rendered by the double quartet, and the rector will preach a sermon especially adapted to the occasion. Rev. Mr. Haig from Bishop's University, of which Dr. Nelms is a graduate, will be in the chancel, and will take part in the anniversary service.

CHURCH PLANNED

continuing through Sunday, August N. Lathrop, secretary of the social 3. Rev. Dr. John R. Edwards, super- service department of the Episcopal intendent of the Washington district Church, will carry with him to the of the Methodist Episcopal Church, is general convention of the church,

Rev. Dr. Henry Allen Tupper, pastor of the First Baptist Church, 16th and O streets, will preach at 11 a.m. tomorrow, on "The Science of Service," and at 8 p.m., "The Art of Attraction."

Irom his childhood home, in North Carolina, where he has been visiting relatives and taking a brief vacation, and will preach at both services at Fifth Baptist Church tomorrow.

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Dean William A. Wilbur of George

sermon-lecture on "The Passion Play of Oberammergau." The sermon will be illustrated by stereopticon slides. Dr. Mitchell visited Oberdammergau in Hair!" is a personal experience which Rev. E. Hez Swem relates tomorrow night at Centennial Baptist Church, theme in the morning will be "Awakening to a Sense of Sin." The "Awakening to a Sense of Sin." The School meets at 9:30 a.m. and

Rev. W. F. Harkey will preach at the 11 o'clock service tomorrow at the Wallace Memorial United Presbyterian Church, on "Some Things Tending to Obscure the Reality of God Today." In the evening a union service with the Petworth Baptist Church will be held, at which time Rev. Mr. Harkey will speak on "Ways of Entering the Kingdom of God." Union evening services are being held by the Wallace Memorial and the Petworth Baptist churches during the summer, the services alternating between the two churches.

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Rev. George A. Miller will preach

Rev. George A. Miller will preach at the Ninth Street Christian Church, 9th and D streets northeast, tomorrow. The subject of the morning sermon will be "The Old and the New." The night sermon will be on "The Earth and Man."

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at Gospel Assembly Hall.

There will be a Pentecostal meeting, conducted by Harry L. Collier, pastor, tomorrow at 2:30 p.m. at the Gospel Assembly Hall, 930 Pennsylvania avenue northwest.

Tolight at 8 o'clock Herbert W. Kline, rescue mission worker, will not conduct an evangelistic service. Miss Ruth Kernan will speak and the Anderson sisters will sing.

A healing service is being conducter of the Truth Center in Fresno. A healing service is being conducted by Garnett January. Fritaged at 8 o'clock by Garnett January. Fritaged

Sunday School Lesson

BY REV. HUGH T. STEVENSON.

DANIEL AND THE LIONS.--Golden text: Who through faith subdued kingdoms, wrought righteousness, obtained prom-ises, stopped the mouths of lions.—Hebrews, 11.33.

Reports of Daniel's courageous ac

ions at Belshazzar's feast would reach Darius, the commander of the conquering army of the Medes and

"Every preacher a moving picture operator" is the slogan which Charles N. Lathrop, secretary of the social Service department of the Episcopal Church, will carry with him to the general convention of the church, which meets in Portland, Ore., Sep-

arbitrary authority." His inner life called for its own self-realization. He turned toward Jerusalem with a faith in the return of his brethren from the bondage of exile and confidence in Jehovah's sustaining and saving power. He cried to Him not simply as the Supreme Being, but by turning his face toward the site of the temple, that by its sacrifices foreshadowed the coming of the Messiah, he indicated that he was praying to Him as the eternal God who was propitiated by sacrifices. His facing Jerusalem was substantially the same thing for Daniel and other pious Jewish exiles as it is for modern Christians to seek

reach Darius, the commander of the conquering army of the Medes and Persians, very soon after he assumed control of Babylon. Daniel's character and capacity would be appreciated by the sensual and sordid soldier. The fact that fully fifty years previous the venerable Hebrew had prophesics that a new world power would rise, which would be the hammer God would use to destroy the Babylonians, would appeal to a superstitious oriental. It is not surprising that Darius should be impressed by the presonality of the eminent statesmen, who had been recalled to power the night Babylon was conquered, and who probably, with the death of Beishazzar, may have welcomed the conquering commander to the palace as the military governor of the land. Darius, whose identity has not been completely and satisfactorily established, reveals one of the elements of his successful leadership by his selection of Daniel to be the chief premier "to whom the viceroys were to give accounts so that the king might not suffer loss." Darius, who was probably "Gobryas," realized that Daniel's death. They demanded that the law he opposed the premier was allowed to violate the nation's laws, that their civilizatian is the premier was allowed to violate the nation's laws, that their civilizatian is the tendency of his successful leadership by his selection of Daniel to be the chief premier "to whom the viceroys were to give accounts so that the king might not suffer loss." Darius, who was probably "Gobryas," realized that Daniel's death. They demanded that the law had been call the law he opposed the premier was allowed to violate the nation's constitution and laws. Darius had divided into 127 provinces, whose of character would relieve him of all worry concerning the civil administration of the king might be recombined to be the chief premier with the same of the law that the king could do no worny. Like Pilate he did not dare to stand up for the right. It was probably die to desire the had the was an allen, who had not fought in the ranks of the cong as it is for modern Christians to

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Tomorrow night, in the Metropolitan Memorial M. E. Church, the minister, Rev. Dr. Harry D. Mitchell, will give a Rev. Dr. Herry on "The Passion Play of the Columbia Association"

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Dean William A. Wilbur of George Washington University will speak at the Tenleytown Baptist Church tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock. Dean Wilbur is chairman of the mission committee of the Columbia Association."

TO BE LAID BY ELK

Baptist Church, will preach tomorrow with the following interesting topics of discourse as his subjects. In the morning: "A Notable Because," and in the evening, "Historic Books."

The services of the church will be continued through the summer season.

streets, tomorrow at 8 p.m., Rev. Mr. R. Jophet will preach on "The Key Which Opens the Scriptures." TO BE LAID BY ELKS

At Bethany Chapel, 13th and C

"A Woman Caught Me With Her Two Lodges to Conduct Services at First Unit of 12th Street Christian Church.

The Intermediate Christian Endeavor Union meeting was held re-cently at Rhode Island Avenue Meth-The services of the church will be continued through the summer season.

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"Walking With God" will be the subject of Rev. Dr. Earle Wilfley's sermon tomorrow morning at the Vermont Avenue Christian Church. At the evening service Dr. Wilfley will preach, a brief sermon and the church choir will give a special musical service. The nominating committee should select from these lists two names for each office to be voted on by the union.

After the business meeting games were played and refreshments were served.